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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)

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Application No. 09/632,861)

Filed: August 4, 2000)

For: NETWORK BASED METHOD AND)
SYSTEM FOR TRANSMITTING)
DIGITAL DATA TO A CLIENT)
COMPUTER AND CHARGING ONLY)
FOR DATA THAT IS USED BY THE)
CLIENT COMPUTER USER)

Docket No. SONYP002

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AMENDMENT

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 22, 2003, the term to respond extends to January 22, 2004. Please enter this amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.